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From: Director, Office of Fire and Aviation

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Tower Climbing and Rescue training is now a mandatory requirement of all employees who engage in these activities. Our next class will be held at the National Interagency Fire Center (NIFC) in Boise, ID, on May 18–20, 1999, from 0800–1630. The class size is limited to 15 students at a cost of \$600.00 per student.

All candidates must have a current CPR and First-Aid certificate. In order to register for this course each candidate must have their supervisor send a signed statement of the candidate's physical ability to complete the training. A completed NWCG Interagency Training Nomination form NFES 2131 with a management code or charge code number needs to be completed and faxed to (208) 387-5397 by May 1, 1999.

Each student must bring his/her own Personal Protective Equipment (PPE):

- Hard Hat
- Safety Glasses/Goggles
- Leather Gloves
- Leather Boots (NO TENNIS SHOES)
- Long Sleeve Shirt & Pants
- Foul Weather Gear
- Full Body Harness & other climbing gear (carabineers, rescue 8's, etc.)

If you have any questions, please contact Jimmie Long at 208-387-5726

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